

Dippy

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DIPPY Game #15, the Mikuláš, 1979F, Winter, 1910;
 England (Bernie Oaklyn): Builds A LON, A LVP. Also has F DEN, A KIEL, A BUR, A MAR, F LYON, F TUN, A NWY, F BAR, F BAL, A HOL, F W MED, F N AFR, F ENG CH
 Russia (Doug Casper): Builds A WAR. Also has: A STP, A MOS, A LVN, A PRU, A MUN, A BER, A BOH, A VIE
 Turkey-Freedomia (Ken Iverson): Builds A CON, A SMY. Also has A SER, A TRI, F NAP, F TYRR, F PIE, A VEN, F TUS, F ION
 Standby: Needed.
 DEADLINE for Spring, 1911 orders is mail delivery of Weds, Dec 3, 1980
 Press: none

DIPPY Game #16, the Three Mile Island, 1979AS, Fall, 1909;
 Austria-Hungary (Ron Gorski): A SIL-mun; A PRU-mar; A WAR-mar
 KONTROLUJE: bud, war, vie --3 (no change)
 England (Bernie Oaklyn): F ENG CH sup French F spa nc-mid; F MID-w ned;
 A KIEL sup f ber; F BER H; F NTH-den; F EDI-nth
 CONTROLS: edi, lon, hol, dan, kiel, ber--6 (no change)
 France (Robert Cheek): F MAR-lyon; A GAS sup a bur-mar; A BUR-mar; F SPA NC-mid;
 f day-LVP; A RUHR-mun
 CONTROLS: bre, mar, par, bel, lvp, spa--6 (no change)
 Italy (Dwayne Shreve): NMR(1) UNAVAILABLE WHEN CALLED: A MUN H; A TYRO H;
 A PIE H; F LYON H; F NWG H; F ROME H; F NAP H
 CONTROLS: nap, rome, ven, tun, tri, mun, por--7 (no change)
 Russia (Jack Frost): F NWY sup Italian f nwg-nth; A SWE-den; AFIN-swe
 CONTROLS: stp, nwy, swe--3 (no change)
 Turkey (Darryl Mellema): F N AFR-mid; F W MED sup f n afr-mid; f ion h/NO SUCH
 UNIT; F AEG H; A GRE H; A BOH sup Italian a mun; a sev-RUM; A UKR H; A LVN H;
 F TYRR. unordered, H
 CONTROLS: ank, con, smy, bul, ser, rum, sev, mos, gre--9 (no change)
 Standby: Needed
 DEADLINE for Spring, 1910 orders (we can forgo Winter since there are no changes)
 is mail delivery of December 3, 1980
 Press:

PALES -I'm a repeate offender.

RINSMATE to Robert Cheek--please note that your unit is on the north coast of Spain.

DIPPY Game #17, the Havlicek, 1980CS, Fall, 1903;
 Austria-Hungary (Brian Gunderman): NMR(1): A VIE H; A BUD H; A TRI H; A SER H;
 f gre h/ISLODGED, must retreat to alb or oth
 CONTROLS: vie, tri, bud, ser--4 (-1 if f gre stays on board; 0 if it comes off)
 England (Darryl Mellema): F BAR sup a yor-nwy; a yor-NWY; F ENG CH-pic
 CONTROLS: lon, lvp, edi, nwy--4 (add 1)
 France (Paul Goodrich): F MID-eng ch; A BRE sup a pic; A PIC sup a bur-bel;
 a bur-bel/UNIONER, must retreat to par, gas, or oth; f spa sc-MAR
 CONTROLS: par, mar, spa, por, hf bre--5 (no change if a bur stays on board; add one if it comes off)

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Germany (Jack Frost): F NTH con English a yor-mwy; A BEL sup a ruhr-bur; A MUN sup a ruhr-bur; a ruhr-BUR; F BAL sup a den-sws; a den-SWE
CONTROLS: ber, kiel, mun, den, bel, hol, swe--7 (add one)

Italy (Dwayne Shreves): A PIE H; A VEN H; F ION H; F APU sup f ion
CONTROLS: nap, rome, ven, tun--4 (no change)

Russia (Al Ronderos): NMR(1) NO ANSWER WHEN CALLED: a rwy h/DISLODGED, must retreat to fin, stp or oth; f swe h/DISLODGED, must retreat to sk, bot, fin, or oth; A BOH H; A GAL H; A UKR H; A RUM H; F SEV H
CONTROLS: mos, sev, stp, war, rum--5 (no change if both dislodged units go off board; -1 if one stays on and one goes off; -2 if both stay on)

Turkey (Ken Iverson): F E MED-ion; f aeg-GRE; A BUL sup f aeg-gre; A CON sup a bul
CONTROLS: ank, smy, con, bul, gre--5 (add one)

Standby: needed

DEADLINE for Winter, 1903 adjustments is mail delivery of December 3, 1980

Press:

none

ANNOUNCING: DIPPY Game #18, the Siderinder (named in honor of the champions of the Universal Baseball Association for 1980):

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Oscar Twiddle, Gamesmaster

ENG MAKES STRONG SHOWING IN MARATHON

OR DOES HE?

THE AGONY OF DE FEET

By X Pose

Tom Eng, that loud-mouth bragging ~~convicted~~ turkey crawled to the finish line as he completed the Golden Gate Marathon. Eng collapsed at the finish and had to be helped to a first-aid station due to muscle cramps. When he was being helped to the aid station he muttered something about not letting any women beat him. Unfortunately Eng didn't realize that his support to the aid station consisted of two women. The chauvinist was suddenly left to his own resources in getting there, and he barely made it. Nobody told Eng that all the world class women runners were in New York to run that marathon. Eng was doing fine on the course until he hit the "wall." That is, he wasn't looking where he was going and he actually ran into a retaining wall on the course. When his wife came to get him she took one look at Eng and left him there. When asked about future plans Eng replied, "Rosie Ruin watch out" and vowed he would cheat all the way to Boston. Eng had to be taken away in an ambulance and is now being committed at the state mental institution.

DISPUTE IN RIVERSIDE CONTINUES

By Joe Anadan

RIVERSIDE, Nov 13—Emperor Gillespie I today introduced the Surgeon General of Riverside, a Dr Mengele, to the news media. Gillespie remarked that Mengele is in line to become the new Surgeon-General of the United States when Ronald Reagan assumes office in January.

Mengele, showing allegiance to his boss, commented on the uprising Gillespie forces are fighting against those of Rich Mylak and the Riverside Liberation Front. Mylak last week, in announcing the revolt, said that Gillespie should have beheaded him (Mylak) when he had the chance. Mengele pointed out that "beheading Mylak, as in the beheading of all Democrats, would have had no effect because such a beast as this is motivated by a ganglion in his tail." There was little to report this week on the actual battle field.

If you didn't read it here, it didn't happen...

QUOTABLE: "Liberals ought to be very intimidated by the mood of the American public."—John T Dolan, chairman of the National Conservative Political Action Committee, assessing the election. CALDENAR: November 16-22 is Bummers Week, highlighted by Kinship is only relative day (16th)...

FIVE YEARS AGO IN THE STAR:

Sally, Michael, and Melanie Barker returned to Chicago to live after two years in Jamaica. Sally summed it up thusly: "24 hours and no mosquito bites. I can't believe it!" Of course, since that time, the Barkers have moved to Naples, Fla, abandoning the pleasant climate of the Windy city...

In sports, Kahala beat Naperville 94-77 and Peoria beat Reading 99-86. The Rockets, at 1-0, and Jackson Hole's Dudes, at 3-0, led their respective divisions in the TBA (PTG)...

THE THRILL OF VICTORY

By Himself (NOTE:

This guy is getting a Rich King Ego)

Tom Eng sprinted freshly to the finish line as he completed the 3rd Annual Golden Gate Marathon on Oct 26. He finished the grueling 26.2 mile course in 3 hours 6 minutes and placed 76th among the 800 finishers. His outstanding achievement was capped by a quarter-mile sprint at the end of the race beating 4 others tough competitors in the process. It was Eng's first marathon and certainly not his last. When asked to comment for the STAR, Eng quipped, "It was nothing!" and went on to jog 5 more miles. Eng also stated that he never hit any "wall" and he didn't know what the other runners were talking about. When asked about future plans he stated that in the next marathon he would qualify for Boston. "Bill Rogers watch out" yelled Eng as he ran by for the free lunch provided for all finishers.

BENES TO DUMP WESTERN GARB?

DALLAS (Special to the STAR)—Sources here have learned that Jim "Tex" Benes may soon be dumping his western wear, following a recent "60 Minutes" expose on the Urban Cowboy. The show reports most people who wear western clothing are rubes who (See "BENES," page 2)

ASK MADGE

By Madge Greenfart

Hi, ho, Steverino! A big kiss to all my moist fans out there in media land. Smoooocho.

BOTH RON AND GAIL GORSKI report renewed vigor, weight loss, and a firming of the buttocks as they continue working out at a local health club.

Our own RICH KING, meantime, still has a lot to learn about being the perfect host. Dickie P invited some guests over recently, only to explain he was "out of everything," and had to borrow a guest's car to run to the store for soda, beer, and snacks.

Madgie's learned ALAN PETERS is trying to grow a beard, playing the college student to the hilt. One source told me he looks like a pubic area!

Madgie's taking bets again this fall on the date when the BENES-WILEY garage will collapse. Get your pick in before it's too late.

And with KATHY AND JOE ANTOSIAK infanticipating, the obvious question from RICH MYLAK is "Who's the father?"

On that happy note, Madgie bids you a fond farewell for this time. Stay moist!

TV HIGHLIGHTS

THE PTL CLUB

Laughs galore as religious nuts gather to talk about Ronald Reagan. Father Jim Gillespie hosts.

DIFFERENT STROKES

Rich King reviews porn flicks.

SOAP

Docu-drama about Alan Peters' life at the YMCA (Parental discretion advised)

STEIN

Drama about the adventures of the Cook County Coroner. Guest star, John Wayne Gacy, with a special appearance by Timmy of Long Chevrolet fame.

SOUNDSTAGE (PBS)

This week's special guests, the Jerry Farber Pork Choir, Dave Fanet co ducting.

THE 700 CLUB

Rich Mylak hosts this talk show with patrons of a Cicero bar. Special guest Carman Paese imitates a whale, Phil Kosin talks about hypnosis and his personal successes, and Joe Popela enters a beer drinking contest, and they run out of beer!

CALORIE COUNTER

Chef Joe Antosiak watches the calories pile up as he eats Reese's peanut butter cups.

ITASCA HILLBILLIES

Tony decides to go into politics, while Renee looks for another job.

THE FLIM FLAM MAN

PREMIERE. Sitcom based on the reputation Ron Gorski built for himself as GM of the Naperville Suns. This week: Ron's entry into basketball from the used car biz.

BENES (continued from page one)
want to play dressup.

Fashion-blade Benes, long a trend-setter in the clothing industry, has been wearing cowboy "Weggies" for years, although they are just coming into vogue now. Witness Rich King's recent purchase of ostrich-skin ant killers.

Sources close to the globe-shaped Czech say he doesn't want to be associated with nerds such as King and WBBM technician Harry McIntyre, who once sashayed about Dallas with bandanas hanging from his belt! We can understand Benes' apprehension, especially since King once said, "I only wear my boots on special occasions." He was winking at McIntyre at the time!

Sources close to Benes now report his latest effort will be to bring Czech clothing back into style. Pressed on the issue, the source said Czech clothes consist of "rags, sent to the old country from America."

NEWS ITEM

VATICAN CITY, Nov 11 (REUTERS)—The Vatican, asked by Pope John Paul to rehabilitate Galileo Galilei, the Italian astronomer forced by the Inquisition in 1633 to recant his discovery that the Earth rotates around the sun, will study the case, not hold a new trial.

Monsignor Bernard Jacqueline, the French under secretary of the Secretariat for Non-Believers, told Vatican Radio the proposed study was in conformity with the Pope's wish expressed exactly a year ago that Galileo should be rehabilitated.

"It is wrong to speak of re-opening the trial of Galileo," Monsignor Jacqueline said, "The Secretariat for Non-Believers is not a tribunal, but a center for studies. In any case, Galileo can obviously not be called, so there will be no sittings, either open or secret."

BASKETBALL

TRANSTONCINERMAI. INACOTDALL ASSOCIATION Season of the Clubs

Team	W	L	Team	W	L
FRONTIER			ROUNDTABLE		
Jackson Hole	4	0	Bolingbrook	3	1
Nevada	3	2	Alliance	2	1
Adak	1	2	Augusta	1	2
Lincoln Park	0	0	Salem	0	3
VALLEY			SKYLINE		
Hattiesburg	2	0	Peoria	3	1
Lahaina	2	1	Whitehorse	3	2
Macomb	0	1	Roswell	2	2
Hinsdale	0	4	Naperville	0	4

RESULTS:

Roswell 128 Whitehorse 126 (ot)

Nevada 101 Lahaina 90

Nevada 107 Roswell 101

Bolingbrook 123 Naperville 107

Bolingbrook 105 Salem 81

Bolingbrook 107 Salem 87

Alliance 104 Salem 85

THIS WEEK'S HIGH SCORER: AC "Sparky" Pluggs, 41, Roswell, vs Whitehorse; BEST BOARDER: Mickey Rumball-Petre, 13 vs Nevada vs Roswell; MOST ASSISTS: Conor Larkin, 10 for Whitehorse;

SCHEDULE (AND DUE DATE): OVERDUE: LP @ Peo; Ros @ Nap; Mac @ LP; Lah @ Mac; Hat @ LP; Adak @ All; Mac @ Hat; Aug @ Salem; LP @ JH; Hat @ Adak; All @ Mac; Salem @ Aug; Bgk @ Hins; (11/16): Nevada at Lincoln Pk; Alliance at Bolingbrook; Lahaina at Naperville; Macomb at Adak; Peoria at Whitehorse; Salem at Hattiesburg; Roswell at Jackson Hole; Augusta at Hinsdale

CUTS: Jackson Hole cuts Jacky "the Cram" Howard, C-F (2B-1A, r16, 6 ls)

TBA ROUNDUP

EANET TOCESSES IN SPONGE; LINCOLN PARK FRANCHISE AT SEA by Horace Flambo, STAR Rocky Mtn Corr

DENVER, Nov 11—TBA Commissioner John McArdle today announced that Dave Eanet had given up control of the TBA's Lincoln Park Unknowns. Eanet's time was sorely tried by his new position on the WBBM sports staff, and his club had languished in a rut of unplayed and late-played games. The club it was understood, would be delivered to Commr McArdle for disposition and to its early opponents so they can proceed with their games. McArdle asked all TBA owners to respond if they know of anyone who might like to play out Lincoln Park's schedule for the rest of the season. The club itself will not be considered "owned" by any new player; final disposition of the franchise will be determined after the current season.

Anyone knowing someone who'd like to operate the franchise under those conditions should contact Commr McArdle.

IMPEACH McARDLE

SPORTS OPINION by Bluto Myberg

The honeymoon is over and it is time to rid the TBA of the ineffectual leadership of Commissioner John McArdle. The Commissioner's latest travesty is that of making an opinion poll law. One month ago he sent a questionnaire ~~out~~ out to the owners to "get a feeling of opinion from around the league." The opinions of many owners were sent in and then under his dictatorial powers he took without a vote he decided to consider the opinion poll a vote. Was this just another immoral action by John or did he just misrepresent the truth. Unplayed games are piling up and McArdle, who promised in his campaign letter to enforce the rules, has done nothing. His sole action against the Lincoln Park Unplayed Games has been to ask owner Dave Eanet to call him back if he decides to show any interest. He has not taken any action to force Bolingbrook's Bluegills to mail their team to Salem even though the game is a month overdue and Salem was admitted as a mail team. Maybe history will repeat itself and John will run an organization he is in charge of into the mud and wait for someone like Jack Frost to take it over and revitalize it. Jim "Theo" Benes resigned from Commissioner because he was tired of making tough decisions. John must feel like a spring chicken because he hasn't made any.

ROSWELL TRIUMPHS IN THRILLER by C R Service

ROSWELL, Nov 7—Whitehorse came from 15 back (94-79 after 3 periods) to forge ahead of the Roswell Coyotes here tonight with seconds remaining. Conor Larkin led the charge with 16 of his 31 pts in the fourth. But Karmal Karpat hit a shot at the buzzer to send the contest into overtime. It was see-saw all the way through with Roswell enjoying the 2 pt lead when Terry Southern missed a shot at the buzzer and Roswell had a 128-126 win.

FOX GETS "VOTE OF CONFIDENCE" by Joc de la Strappe

NAPENVILLE—Uh, oh. Suns owner Ron Gorski has given Coach Fox Butterfield a vote of confidence, saying, "Fox's job is not on the line."

You know what that means! The ax could fall any day not. But Gorski discounts that, calling it "a typical Suns' start." (PTG)

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